

Last Will and Testament of Benjamin B. Lamar  
The State of Alabama } Special Orphan Court  
Montgomery County } February 1<sup>st</sup> AD. 1836

This day comes Henry B. Lamar and made application for the probate of the last Will and Testament of Benjamin B. Lamar deceased as also the bodie thereto attached and it appearing that the widow of said deceased was apprised of said application and doth not contest the same, it is advised by the Court that said last Will and Testament as aforesaid be probated and recorded.

Montgomery County } Know all men by these  
Alabama November } presents, that I Benjamin  
Twenty eight Eighteen } B. Lamar being of sound  
hundred and thirty five } mind, do make this my  
last Will and Testament.

I do make constitute and appoint James Casner Henry Lamar, John Lamar and my wife Eliza Lamar my Executors. It is further my will that they purchase land to put my negroes upon and that they be kept together and given to the children as they become of age their proportionable part of the estate. It is further my will that my wife shall have a share of my estate as one of the children during her lifetime. It is further my will that the above named Executors have power to do with the estate as they would were it their own for the benefit of the heirs. I further wish that the same property be removed from this State. I do bequeath to the Rev John Robinson my religious books. I do bequeath to my brother John Lamar my sulk.

Signed the day and year  
above mentioned in the presence of  
Daniel M. Carter  
Wm Simmons  
W. C. Eubanks

B. B. Lamar Seal

Alabama } In addition to the above, it is my  
December 5<sup>th</sup> 1835 } will and pleasure that Henry  
B. Lamar one of my Executors should  
make and execute titles to the land I have sold  
to Robert D. Ware and Benjamin H. Warren and  
to execute the Contract I have made with them  
fully and completely in every particular as well  
with regard the lands bargained to them and  
also the Contract as it regards the corn, fodder  
and stock.

Signed sealed and published in  
the presence of  
element Billing, Jr.  
Robert D. Ware  
Daniel M. Carter

his  
B. B. Lamar Seal  
mark

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The State of Alabama }  
Montgomery County

Personally appeared in open court  
two of the subscribing witnesses of the last will and Testament  
of Benjamin B. Lamar deceased and on oath sayeth that  
they saw the said deceased execute the within instrument  
that he was of a sound disposing mind and memory  
that they together with W. Leabanks signed in his  
presence and at his request and in the presence  
of each other.

Given to & Subscribed in open  
Court Feb 1<sup>st</sup> A.D. 1836  
Benajah S. Bibb  
J. Leab. Clerk.

{ Daniel S. M. Carter  
William C. Simmons

The State of Alabama }  
Montgomery County

Personally appeared in open  
Court Clement Pillington and  
Daniel S. M. Carter, two of the  
subscribing witnesses to the codicil of the last  
Will and Testament of Benjamin B. Lamar deceased  
who on oath sayeth that they saw said deceased execute said  
codicil, that he was of a sound, disposing mind  
and memory that they together with Robert J. M. signed  
as witnesses in his presence and at his request and  
in the presence of each other.

Given to in open Court  
Feb 1<sup>st</sup> A.D. 1836  
Benajah S. Bibb, J. Leab. Clerk.

{ Clement Pillington  
Daniel S. M. Carter

Ordered to be recorded February 1<sup>st</sup> 1836

The State of Alabama }  
Montgomery County

I James E. Belser clerk of the  
County in and for said County  
do hereby certify that the foregoing  
is a true Transcript of the record and proceedings  
of the Probate of the last Will and Testament of  
Benjamin B. Lamar deceased as copied from the  
original now in file in my office

Given under my hand and seal of office this  
the second day of February A.D. 1836 and of American Independence the 60<sup>th</sup> year.

James E. Belser  
Clerk

The State of Alabama }  
Montgomery County

I Benajah S. Bibb Judge of the County Court of  
said County, do hereby certify that James E. Belser  
Esq. is and was at the time of making the within  
Certificate, the acting clerk of our said County  
Court, that said Certificate is in due form  
and that all his official acts should be  
regarded as clerk or as from him.

Given under my hand this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February  
A.D. 1836  
Benajah S. Bibb  
Judge